## THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 7.

"HANDKERCHIEF FLIRTATIONS.-The following "code of signals," with the handkerchief is now in use to some extent among the ladies .ed of both sexes. It may be used on the street, and at the theatre or concert-but we suppose not in church:

Drawing across the lips-Desirous of an acquaintance.

Drawing across the eyes-I am sorry. Taking by the centre-You are too willing. Dropping—We will be friends.
Twirling in both hands—Indifference. Drawing across the cheek-I love you. Drawing through the hands-I hate you. Letting it rest on the right cheek—Yes! Letting it rest on the left cheek—No! Twirling in left hand-I wish to be rid of

Twirling in right hand-I love another. Folding it-I whish to speak with you. Over the shoulder-Follow me. Opposite corners in both hands-Wait for

Drawing across the forehead-We are Placing on right ear-You have changed.

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Winding round fore finger-I am engaged. Winding round third finger-I am married. Putting in the pocket-No more at present.

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COLUMBIAN COLLEGE, Washington, D. C. The sessions of the several departments open as follows: the Preparatory, Sept. 9th; the Collegiate, Sept. 23d; the Theological, October 7th; the Law, October 14th, and the Medical, October 19th.

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